GOVERNEMNT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRAST

Public Services – Water Resources Department – Vigilance and Enforcement – “Irregularities and allegations of the work Modernization of Mylavaram Reservoir South Canal” – Disciplinary Proceedings initiated against Sri N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then Executive Engineer – Disciplinary proceedings concluded - Imposed a minor penalty of withholding of Three (3) Annual Grade Increments without cumulative effect – Punishment implemented – Only two Annual Grade Increments were withhold – Delinquent Officer retired upon attaining age of superannuation on 31.05.2024 – Modification of earlier punishment to withhold third annual grade increment to withholding three (3) percent cut in pension for a period of two (2) years under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 – Orders - Issued – Reg.

WATER RESOURCES (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 34 Dated: 05-02-2025

Read the following:

1	Director General (Vig.Enft.) & E.O. Prl. Secy. To Govt., G.A.D. Vigilance Report No.27 (C.No.591/V&E/E1/2013) Dt: 21-04-2016.
2	G.O.Rt.No.65, Water Resources (VIG.II(V&E).A1) Department, dated 29.01.2018.
3	From Sri N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then Executive Engineer, Written Statement of Defence, dated: 17.04.2018.
4	G.O.Rt.No.814, Water Resources (VIG.II(V&E-2) Department, dated 15.11.2018.
5	Govt.Memo.No.291269/Vig.II-V&E/2016-3, dated:20.08.2018.
6	From J.Satyanarayana, IPS, COI and Inquiring Authority, Letter No. 138/COI-JS/2018., dated: 26.07.2019.
7	Govt.Memo.No.291269/vig.II(V&E.)/2016-5 , Date:31.01.2020.
8	Explanation of Sri. N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then EE, Dt. 18.06.2020.
9	G.O.Rt.No. 749, , Water Resources (VIG.II(V&E-A1) Department, dated:22.12.2021
10.	From Enc(AW), WRD, AP, letter No.ECAD-19021/291/2023-H SEC-ECADMIN Dt:12/08/2024.
11.	Govt.Memo.No.291269/vig.II(V&E.)/2016, Date:15.10.2024.
12.	From ENC(AW), WRD, Letter No. ECAD-19021/291/2023-H SEC – ECADADMIN, dt: 29.11.2024.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department have furnished their vigilance Report on "irregularities and allegations of the two works (i) Modernization of Mylavaram Reservoir South Canal (ii) Road work on Devagudi Branch Canal from Proddatur Road to Tadipatri Road at Jammalamadugu of YSR Kadapa District.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, article of charges were issued against Sri N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then Executive Engineer for irregularities on the work Modernization of Mylavaram Reservoir South Canal and the Charged Officer has submitted his Written Statement of Defense in the reference 3rd read above.

3. In the reference 4th read above, Sri J. Satyanarayana, Commissioner of Inquiries was appointed as Inquiry Authority to inquire into the charges framed against Sri N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then EE and in the reference 5th read above, the Superintendent Engineer, Construction Circle-3, Kadapa was appointed as Presenting Officer. The Inquiry Authority vide reference 6th read above while submitting the Inquiry report has reported that the Charge-I and III are not held proved and Charge-II is held proved

4. In the reference 7th read above, while enclosing the Inquiry Report and disagreement factors Sri N.Ramakrishna Yadav, the then Executive Engineer has directed to submit his explanations, if any, on the findings of the Inquiry Authority. In the reference 8th read above Sri Ramakrishna Yadav, the then Executive Engineer has submitted his Written explanation and requested to exonerated from the articles of charges without further action against him.

5. After due procedure, Government have issued orders to impose a penalty of withholding Three (3) annual grade increment without cumulative effect against Sri N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then EE under rule 9 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rule, 1991 for irregularities on the work Modernization of Mylavaram Reservoir South Canal vide GO 9th read above

6. In the reference 10th read above, it was brought to the notice of the Government that, of the earlier punishment of withholding Three (3) annual grade increment without cumulative effect imposed against the delinquent officer, only two increments have been withhold against Sri N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then EE (Retd.) on 01.08.2022 and 01.08.2023 without cumulative effect respectively, but withholding of third annual grade increment from 01.08.2024 could not be possible as the CO was retired from his service upon attaining the age of superannuation on 31.05.2024.

7. After examination of the issue, it is provisionally decided to impose a penalty of three (3%) cut in pension for a period of two (2) years on Sri N. Ramakrishna Yadav, E.E. (Retired) for allegations of irregularities in Modernization of Mylavaram Reservoir South Canal under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 in place of withholding third annual grade increment.

8. In the reference 11th read above, a Show-cause notice was issued to Sri N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then E.E. (now retired.) as to why the said penalty should not be imposed against him.In the reference 12th read above, delinquent has submitted his explanation and there is no new material available for examination.

9. Government, after careful examination of the entire issue, hereby decided to modify the earlier punishment and to impose a punishment of withholding 3% three percent cut in pension for a period of two (2) years under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 in place of withholding third annual grade increment against Sri

N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then E.E., since the delinquent officer retired from service upon attaining the age of superannuation on 31.05.2024.

10. The Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada, shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. SAI PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri. N. Ramakrishna Yadav, the then Executive Engineer. (**through** the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, A.P., Vijayawada.)
The Engineer-in-Chief(AW), Water Resources Department, A.P., Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The Secretary to VC, APVC, AP. Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati.
The Account General (A&E), Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
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SECTION OFFICER